

## **Patric Young SCI Financial Aid Fund Disclaimer**

The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund is an exclusive program and fully funded by the Patric Young Foundation in collaboration with our non-profit service partner, Patient Advocate Foundation. In order to qualify for financial assistance from the Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund, the patient must (1) be diagnosed with a fund qualifying diagnosis (2) reside in Jacksonville/Gainesville Florida (3) meet the financial eligibility requirements. The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund provides a grant award to assist patients with out-of-pocket expenses associated with transportation, housing, utilities, nutritional needs, home adaptations and adaptive devices not covered by insurance related to their injury, ongoing therapy, and treatment needs.

Qualifying patients are provided a one-time grant at the time they are approved for assistance from the Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund. Financial assistance is provided on a first come, first served basis to the extent the Financial Assistance Fund has the capacity to provide assistance. Enrollment in the Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund, and receipt of the one-time grant, is a gift to the enrollee, based on the availability of funding, and conditioned on use of the financial assistance for out-of-pocket expenses associated with transportation, housing, utilities, nutritional needs, home adaptations and adaptive devices not covered by insurance related to their injury, ongoing therapy, and treatment needs. PAF has no contractual obligation to provide such assistance to qualified enrollees.

Eligibility Assistance from the fund is not dependent on the use of a particular drug, particular supplies, or particular provider or suppliers and patients are free to switch drug therapies, treating physicians, pharmacies, and suppliers at any time without affecting their continued eligibility for assistance.

The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund reserves the right to request additional information to verify compliance with program eligibility guidelines. Failure to provide the requested information may result in the closure of the application for assistance. Additionally, if at any time it becomes evident that information has been provided under false pretense the eligibility process for assistance will be terminated.

The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund is administered by Patient Advocate Foundation (“PAF”) for The Patric Young Foundation. Patients’ contact information may be used in the future to share printed and/or electronic communications from PAF or the Patric Young Foundation. If the patient does not wish to receive print and/or electronic communications from PAF or Patric Young Foundation, he/she may contact the program at 844-412-1065 and request to have his/her contact information removed from the mailing list.

Patient data collected through the application process may also be used in de-identified aggregated reports. This means that information and data patients provided to the Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund during the enrollment process may be combined with other patients’ data to prepare reports analyzing patient needs. The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund will only use de-identified patient data externally, i.e., patient data where all identifying data terms like the patient’s name, identifying numbers, etc. have been removed. The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund will always protect all patient information and adhere to the Patient Privacy Policy. A copy of the Patient Privacy Policy can be accessed on the Patient Advocate Foundation website: <https://www.patientadvocate.org/privacy-policy/>

By accepting a grant from the Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund patients are attesting that they agree to use the grant funds only for eligible expenses. The Patric Young Foundation SCI Financial Aid Fund reserves the right to request documentation from patients demonstrating that the grant funds have been used appropriately.

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